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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For: **USING SUPERCRITICAL FLUIDS TO
INFUSE THERAPEUTIC ON A
MEDICAL DEVICE**

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RESPONSE TO JUNE 2, 2004, OFFICE ACTION

SIR:

In response to the June 2, 2004, Office Action, which set a shortened statutory response period extending to and including September 2, 2004, please amend the application as indicated below.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any applicable fees and to credit any overpayment to deposit account no. 11-0600.